FISCAL NOTE

HB 2896 - SB 2943

February 7, 2002

SUMMARY OF BILL: Specifies that persons employed by the Department of Correction as internal affairs investigators or as the director of internal affairs shall have the authority to carry weapons, subject to the written directive of the Commissioner, for the purposes of their offices while in the performance of their assigned duties including while conducting authorized investigations and assisting federal, state and local law enforcement. Under current law, employees of the Department of Correction are subject to additional restrictions on where and when they may carry weapons.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

MINIMAL

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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